

FRIDAY, MAY 11, 1894.

THE TARIFF AND SILVER.

Notwithstanding the assertions of the goldbugs that the tariff is the paramount issue, silver will intrude itself in the tariff debates in Congress. As eminent a disciple of Sherman as Senator Lodge of Massachusetts proposed in a speech on the Wilson bill to impose double duties against Great Britain until that country should agree to an international ratio for the coinage of silver. While it might be advisable to exclude every article of English manufacture from the United States until that country comes to its senses on the silver question, would it not be well for the United States to name the coin it uses? The goldbugs of the United States follow the English fashions in everything from the demonetization of silver to the cut of their trousers. Why does not Senator Lodge introduce and advocate the passage of a bill or a resolution proposing an international monetary conference and naming the ratio for silver coinage? If he is sincere why not blaze the way for an international ratio? Why not ask England to take the initiative on a question of such importance to the United States as the coinage of silver? Let the United States lead in the matter by opening the mints to silver as well as gold and then quadruple the duties on English products or exclude them altogether, until England sees fit to follow our example. England would doubtless readily agree to an international ratio of 30 to 1 for the coinage of silver. That would, perhaps, suit Senator Lodge and other goldmen, but it is not what the people of the United States want. The silver dollar is now large enough for all practical purposes and the masses of the people do not complain because it is not larger, but because of its scarcity. Any change in the ratio of silver would necessitate the recoinage of every silver dollar in the United States. The people are not demanding this change, and the goldmen know better than to advocate it, but they do ask that more dollars be issued to prevent the increase of the industrial army from one million to ten or more millions.

CURRENCY STATISTICS AND PRICES

In response to an inquiry relative to the currency and productions of India, Russia and the Argentine Republic, the Secretary of the Treasury has sent to the Senate a letter from himself and a voluminous statement from the Chief of the Bureau of Statistics. The Secretary says there has been no change in the weight, fineness or legal tender power of the silver coins of India since 1893, when the present silver standard was established. The silver rupee now, as then, contains 165 grains of pure silver, and the closing of the mints in 1893 did not have the effect of changing the silver coins. The rupee price of wheat, rice, linseed and gunny bags has risen during the last twenty years, while the prices of cotton, hides, opium, indigo and tea have fallen.

In Russia the coinage of silver, which had up to that time been the monetary standard of the country, was suspended in 1876 and in 1886 the double standard was introduced. The actual currency of the country since 1875 has been paper rubles or silver rubles. The average prices of the principal articles of Russian production were less from 1887 to 1891 than in the years from 1873 to 1887. Among the articles which have fallen in price are wheat, rice, barley, oats, yarn, leather and raw wool, while the prices of maize, peas, flax and hemp have risen.

Though the coinage of small silver is permitted in the Argentine Republic that country is practically on a gold basis, but there is no data at hand upon which to furnish a statement of the fluctuations of prices for the past twenty or even ten years in that country. The figures given by the Secretary show that the tendency of prices is downward in India and Russia, and has been for years, though a few articles of minor importance have risen somewhat. It is known from newspaper reports that the Argentine Republic, which is nominally on a gold basis, is virtually bankrupt, and that the foreign creditors of that country would be willing to take silver or gold for the bonds and other securities which they hold.

The Agricultural Department has issued a bulletin in regard to the English sparrow, which is claimed to be rapidly spreading over the fruit growing districts of California, and if repressive measures are not undertaken, is destined to levy a heavy tribute. The best way to fight the pest is by destruction of the nests and the young birds.

LUCKY BALDWIN has been sued in the Superior Court at Los Angeles, California, for seduction. The plaintiff is Miss Lillian A. Ashley of Boston and she asks for \$75,000 damages. The notoriety acquired by Miss Pollard in the Breckenridge case is encouraging others with soiled reputations to follow her example.

THERE are 600 carpenters in Kelley's industrial army. To say that these men, who usually receive from three to four dollars per day for their labor, prefer tramping through the country to working for wages, is simply to make an assertion that cannot be substantiated, and that seems incredible.

CONGRESSIONAL AFFAIRS

Thousands of Lives Lost by an Earthquake.

A PROPOSED RAILROAD.

Much Ill Feeling Caused Through the Amended Tariff Bill.

A TERRIBLE EARTHQUAKE.

Ten Thousand Lives Lost and Scores of Cities and Towns Destroyed in Venezuela.

CARACAS, Venezuela, via Galveston, Tex., May 9.—The Herald's correspondent telegraphs:

A terrible earthquake shook took place in Venezuela April 28th. Reports which have been received here from the districts affected tell of terrible loss of life and the destruction of villages and towns.

The cities of Merida, Lagunillas, Chiguara and San Juan, situated in the northwestern part of the Republic in the region of the Andes, are reported as having been totally destroyed by a fierce shock at 11 o'clock on the night of the 28th.

Many villages are said to be wrecked, but details are not yet to be had. The convulsions extended to parts of the adjacent Republic of Colombia.

Full details of the catastrophe will be learned slowly, but it is probable that 10,000 people have perished, and it is certain that the greatest suffering prevails in the places visited by the earthquake.

The United States Minister here has notified the State Department at Washington of the terrible effects of the catastrophe, and has asked that assistance be given to the people of the stricken districts.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Secretary Gresham to-day received the following telegram from Bartleman, United States Charge d'Affaires at Caracas, Venezuela:

"An earthquake on the 28th of April destroyed the cities of Egidio and Merida and several villages. The loss of life is said to be heavy."

A NEW RAILROAD.

SALT LAKE (Utah), May 10.—A new railroad scheme designed to connect Salt Lake with Los Angeles and San Diego is taking definite shape here. The San Pete Valley Railway Company, now operating a narrow-gauge line from Nephi to Manti, about forty miles in length, have called a stockholders' meeting for the purpose of changing the by-laws of the company by designating Salt Lake City and a point on the Utah-Nevada line as the termini of the road.

President Bruback asserts that the company means business; that his road will be broad-gauged and that dirt will fly during the present season. The San Pete valley has been under control of English capitalists, but has recently changed hands, and the present backers are said to command unlimited resources. The more powerful competitors of the road have recently refused to handle its business for the purpose of freezing it out, and it is forced to seek an outlet or go out of business.

It is supposed that the first move will be an extension northward to Salt Lake, to be followed by a line to the southwest. The proposed route taps the extensive coal and iron fields of Southwest Utah, besides coal beds in San Pete valley. When the road reaches the Utah-Nevada line it will be an easy matter to connect with the Nevada Southern, now being built from a point on the Atlantic and Pacific in Arizona.

Federation of Trainmen.

SACRAMENTO, May 10.—The Chairman of the General Grievance Committee, W. V. Stafford of Stockton, of the Order of Railway Conductors, C. W. Swain of Sacramento of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, B. A. Meyer of Firebaugh of the Order of Railway Telegraphers, E. T. Foster of Oakland of the Switchmen's Mutual Aid Association, and J. Friend of Fresno of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, met in this city yesterday and signed articles of federation, uniting these organizations of the Pacific system of the Southern Pacific.

In the future the organizations will battle together in the event of a strike, which is not looked for. The Federated Board organized by electing Swain as Chairman and Stafford as Secretary. Last night there was a large union meeting of the Sacramento organizations.

A Strange Case. BALTIMORE, May 10.—Mrs. Mary A. Sterner, the elderly woman who lost her sight last week from the flash of a trolley wire, was stricken with paralysis yesterday and died within two hours. Just before she was stricken she regained her sight. Her son was pouring medicine into a glass for her at the time and she joyfully announced that she could see. Half an hour later her entire left side was paralyzed, and she again became blind. Within two hours she died. Her physicians say that the paralytic stroke was directly caused by the flash that blinded her.

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.

Discussing the Coxy Case in the Senate.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—In the Senate to-day Allen introduced a bill to repeal the act regulating the use of the Capitol grounds, under which Coxy and his lieutenants were prosecuted.

Peffer introduced a resolution for the appointment of a special committee of three to investigate the condition of the country, with special reference to the prevailing business depression and what legislation will afford relief.

Allen's resolution to investigate the alleged police clubbing on May Day then came up. Gordon said the Coxy movement was a child of the paternal theory of the Government. Remedies for existing conditions were to be found in decentralization of power.

Teller favored the resolution. Coxy was a law-abiding citizen. He and his followers had trudged through rain and mud and were entitled to respectful consideration. He did not endorse the statute under which they had been arrested. He did not think the Senate could refuse to investigate the clubbing. He himself would furnish the names of witnesses. Whether Coxy was a crack or not did not matter. His statement was absurd, as were many others put forward in the hour of distress, but it was not a wicked scheme, if only Congress provide work for the unemployed.

Allen's Coxy resolution went over without action.

The first item in the Tariff bill, acetate acid, was taken up and the amendment by Senator Allison to substitute the Mills bill rate was adopted by a strict party vote.

In the House Talbot of Maryland briefly announced the death of his colleague, Brattain, and offered the customary resolutions, which were adopted.

The House adjourned at 12:30.

THE NEW TARIFF BILL.

Very Ugly Rumors of the Influences of Trusts.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Democratic Congressmen are still severely criticizing the amended Tariff bill now being debated in the Senate. The ill feeling aroused when the nature of the amendments became known yesterday and the day before does not seem to have lessened up to the present time. It was expected that Senator Mills was dissatisfied with the bill as amended and therefore only a mild sensation was created when he arose in the Senate and outlined his position and talked as sarcastically as he did in referring to the amended bill as either a "Gorman" or "Brice" bill. There are still ugly rumors afloat also in reference to the power that the sugar and lead trusts have wielded before the Senate Finance Committee and the Standard Oil Company is also brought into prominence for having carried its case in having the reciprocity clause, stricken out in the House, reinserted in the bill in the Senate. This reciprocity clause, as is well known, gives the Standard Oil Company complete control of the American market.

Telegraph Notes.

A \$240,000 fire destroying half the city occurred yesterday at Norway, Maine.

Three persons were killed in a railroad collision at Eau Claire, Wisconsin, yesterday.

President Debs of the American Railway Union denies the assertion that the great Northern is not living up to its agreement with the men.

The worst storm ever known in the history of the city occurred Wednesday night at Stillwater, Minnesota. The damage is placed at \$50,000.

At St. Louis yesterday the Trades Labor Union voted in favor of amalgamation with the Knights of Labor. It is understood that votes on the question are being taken in every union all over the country.

Five editors, convicted of calumniating the police on the occasion of the meeting of the unemployed at Fredericksburg in January, were yesterday sentenced at Berlin to five months imprisonment.

The number of Chinese registered in the entire country is 105,312, of whom 67,977 are in California and Nevada, 4,689 in Montana, Idaho and Utah, and 1,781 in Arizona. The Chinese population by the last census was 107,485.

At Rio Grande City, Texas, yesterday while police officers were trying to arrest five United States soldiers for carrying revolvers, a battle ensued in which Corporal Inglehart was shot through the head.

The Midwinter Fair admission price was yesterday reduced by the executive committee to 25 cents on Sundays and on week days after five o'clock. The action of the committee is the result of a long agitation on the subject. The fair is in excellent financial condition.

Henry Herbert Asquith, Secretary of State of the Home Department of Great Britain, was married yesterday at London to Miss Margaret Tennant. The bride is said to have suggested the titular character in E. F. Benson's "Dodo," and been one of the originators of the mysterious society called "Souls." Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone were present.

The ceremony of unveiling the statue of Mary Washington took place at Fredericksburg, Virginia, before a large number of distinguished guests. President Cleveland and a number of members of the Cabinet attended. Senator Daniel was orator of the day. President Cleveland responded to the welcoming address of Governor O'Farrell, paying a warm tribute to the mother of Washington.

THE IMMIGRATION QUESTION.

Representative McGann, Chairman of the House Committee on Labor, predicts that a turn in the tide of immigration is not far off and when it comes it will solve the present depressed condition of American labor. For years the tide of immigration has set steadily toward the United States and the labor market of Europe has been drained until the necessity of keeping laborers at home. McGann says the leading men of Great Britain, Germany and France place the labor question foremost among the great national questions, while in this country any public man who seeks to advance the cause of labor is set down as a demagogue.

According to Bradstreet, there are about 3,000,000 persons, who are dependent upon labor for their support, out of employment in the United States. This should deter foreign laborers from coming to the United States to seek employment. It is stated, too, that there are thousands of men among the coke workers and coal miners of Pennsylvania whose wages do not average sixty cents a day, and that many have left that State, in consequence of low wages, for their native land. With millions out of employment and many who are employed working for a bare living, the tide of immigration ought to take a turn.

For Over Fifty Years

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for their children while teething. It disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth, send at once and get a bottle of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures Diarrhoea, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the gums, reduces inflammation and gives Tone and Energy to the whole system. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Price twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup."

COCONA CREAM

Is the natural fragrance of flowers and is therefore delightfully refreshing for the toilet and bath. This new and exquisite toilet water is much more agreeable than the artificial perfumes so commonly used and is rapidly supplanting them in public favor. It is for sale by all druggists.

Silver Party Meeting.

The State Central Committee of the Silver party will hold a meeting in Reno, Nevada, on Wednesday, May 23, 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M. A full attendance is requested.

G. S. NIXON, Chairman.

H. P. FLANNERY, Secretary.

(Silver papers please copy.)

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Organ registration and manipulation taught thoroughly. Organ tuning and repairing a specialty. Special attention given to beginners on the piano. Leave orders at C. J. Brooks' music store.

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Take your prescriptions to Pinniger's pharmacy, Virginia street. Pure drugs at lowest prices.

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A Bright Lad,

Ten years of age, but who declines to give his name to the public, makes this authorized, confidential statement to us:

"When I was one year old, my mamma died of consumption. The doctor said that I, too, would soon die, and all our neighbors thought that even if I did not die, I would never be able to walk, because I was so weak and puny. At a gathering formed and broke up by my aunt, I hurt my finger and it gathered and then I died. I was so weak and puny that I could not walk. I had to take lots of medicine, but nothing has done me so much good as Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It has made me well and strong."

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Comfort of patrons the first consideration

HOT AND COLD BATHS AT ALL HOURS

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Brings comfort and improvement and tends to personal enjoyment when rightly used. The many, who live better than others and enjoy life more, with less expenditure, by more promptly adapting the world's best products to the needs of physical being, will attest the value to health of the pure liquid laxative principles embraced in the remedy, Syrup of Figs.

Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect laxative; effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession because it acts on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels without weakening them and it is perfectly free from every objectionable substance.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all druggists in 50c and \$1 bottles, but it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on every package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

FIFTY-CENT COLUMN.

All classes of legitimate advertisements not exceeding six lines inserted in this column at 50 cents per week.

For Sale. Six hundred acres of good land and abundance of water in the midst of a fine cattle or sheep range; title perfect.

Address R. W. L., Winnemucca, Nev.

A Good Dinner.

The ladies of the Congregational Church will, on Thursday, May 24th, serve a good dinner for 25 cents in the church basement.

Strayed Cow.

Came to my ranch on the 4th of January last, a white cow. Bar mark—Swallow fork on the right and crop off the left. Brand not plain. Owner will please call, pay charges and take her away.

For Rent.

A flat of three rooms and house of six rooms for rent. Apply to Geo. Holesworth, corner First and Virginia sts.

Advertisement.

The Mill-wood yard, on the N.-C.-O. R. R., adjoining the planing mill, has been placed in my charge, and I respectfully solicit a share of the public patronage. Everything at lowest rates.

For Sale.

Lots and blocks with water in Conner's Eastern Addition to Reno, on the installment plan, in four equal payments, if desired, on contracts similar to the Central Pacific Land contracts. Also trees, shrubs and plants by the million at the Reno and Mt. Hope Nurseries at Reno.

Washoe Lunch Counter and Saloon.

For a fine meal or a cool glass of beer, best of liquors of all kinds or a good cigar call at the Washoe Lunch Counter and Saloon. A private dining room has been placed at the rear of the counter.

A Chance to Speculate.

Nate Hoff would like to dispose of his place near the Baptist Church, within the next twenty days. Lot is 15x100 feet and a very comfortable roomy house. Will be sold cheap.

Fresh Milk.

They deliver milk to any part of the city, morning and evening. The cleanliness of their dairy and surroundings is their pride. Give them a trial.

Oscar Hildebrandt

The piano tuner is now residing permanently in Reno, and will receive a limited number of piano pupils. Leave orders at C. J. Brooks or address Oscar Hildebrandt by mail.

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Is now prepared to make boots and shoes cheaper than ever before. Call and see his improved manner of manufacturing. Repairing done at short notice. Shop on Nevada street, Virginia St. and 22nd.

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TOILET ARTICLES

HODGKINSON'S

DRUG STORE,

VIRGINIA STREET.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

—OF THE—

Bank of Nevada.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts. \$530,611 57
Cash on Hand. 30,595 21
Collections in Transit. 1,525 87
Real Estate (Bank Building). 22,941 94
Furniture and Fixtures. 7,107 56
Current Expenses and Taxes Paid. 11,120 07
Samps. 125 18
Total. \$613,907 05

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid up. \$150,000 00
Surplus Fund. 25,000 00
Due Banks and Bankers. 15,414 01
Undivided Profits. 4,217 60
Interest commission & exchange. 62,775 46
Certificates of Deposit. 19,985 00
Individual Deposits subject to check. 154,114 96
Total. \$413,907 05

We hereby certify the above to be a correct statement of the condition of the Bank of Nevada at the close of business April 30, 1894.

J. S. OSBURN, Secretary.

M. D. FOLEY, President.

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Carpet and Linoleums.

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I propose to sell all goods remaining over from my Winter's Stock at a discount of 20 per cent, which will bring

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I Will Sell

Men's Suits, from \$5.00 to \$10.00

Youth's Suits, 12 to 16 yrs., from \$4.00 to \$8.00

Youth's Suits, 16 to 19 yrs., from \$5.00 to \$8.00

Men's Underwear, per Suit, from .75 to \$1.50

All goods of whatever kind will be sold at the same rate of discount.

In order to be convinced that the goods are good and very cheap, you will please call and examine for yourself,

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FRIDAY, MAY 11, 1894.

BREVITIES.

W. J. Westerfield has returned from California.

Yesterday was pay day on the V. & T. railroad.

Father Keiley of Reno will celebrate mass in Carson Sunday.

W. E. Griffin was a passenger last night from San Francisco.

Paymaster George T. Mills came down from Carson last night.

Henry J. Berry went up to Carson day before yesterday and returned yesterday.

Mrs. Anna Fish of Dayton arrived yesterday from San Francisco, homeward bound.

Mrs. Cora Tenby of Virginia City was a through passenger last night for the Midwinter Fair.

M. D. Murphy, County Recorder of Lander county, passed through last night for California.

Get your excursion tickets to the Midwinter Fair before noon to-day and save money by doing so.

The Commissioners have laid a new sidewalk from the Grand Central Hotel to the railroad track.

Hon. W. E. F. DeWitt and wife came down from Virginia City last night and changed cars for California.

The University cadet encampment closed yesterday morning and the village of tents has been removed.

The Carson Tribune refers to Postmaster Krause as "Nasby, the staunch old Republican letter slinger."

A. J. McCone, the Comstock foundryman, came up from below yesterday morning and changed cars for Virginia City.

Mrs. E. E. Hawatt of Oakland came in on the 9:30 train last evening en route to Amadeo to visit her brothers, W. U. and C. A. Scott.

District Attorney Edward Knight of Storey county came down from Virginia City last night and changed cars for the Midwinter Fair.

George H. Buckland, formerly of Lyon county, arrived in Reno yesterday from San Francisco and is looking over the business field.

The funeral of the late Harry Cobb will take place to-day at Carson at 2 o'clock. A large delegation of Knights of Pythias from this city and Wadsworth will attend.

This evening Rev. W. B. Pope and District Attorney B. F. Currier will leave for San Francisco to attend the meeting of the Central California Baptist Association.

Charles L. Fair, the son of ex-Senator Fair, and his wife have left New York for the Pacific Coast. It is said that his father has forgiven him and he is to share his millions.

The New Era says A. P. Marker, a cousin of the Marker brothers, died May 4th of paralysis. The deceased was a native of Denmark, aged 55 years. A brother, John Marker, is a resident of Susanville, Cal.

Yesterday U. S. Commissioner Waldo held a Chinaman to await the action of the U. S. Grand Jury for selling whisky to Indians and will investigate a similar charge against another Celestial to-day.

The Pennsylvania railroad has issued an order limiting its employees in the shops to four days work a week. It affects 7,000 men and is attributed to the coal strike.

The Lode says the clean-up of eighty-seven tons of Monitor ore at the Bullionville mill resulted most satisfactory to all concerned, and an \$8,000 gold brick is the result, which has been shipped to the Salt Lake market.

It is marvelous what cures are being made in nervous diseases by Viava—for men, women and children. Make inquiry of Mrs. B. E. Hunter at the Viava Company's agency, Fourth street.

The Republican says in a couple of weeks C. F. McGlashan will put one hundred and fifty or two hundred men at work laying water mains around Truckee for fire purposes. With this number of men it will only take a few days to finish the work.

A special train of three cars, with President Huntington and A. N. Towne, General Manager of the Southern Pacific, and several ladies arrived here at 8:20 last evening. The train left San Francisco yesterday morning.

There is a conflict between striking lathers in Man's factory at Stoneham, Mass., and foreigners who have taken their places. Daggers and stones were used and one man was knocked down and beaten. The police arrested six men who were brandishing daggers.

A Lodge of the American Railway Union has been organized at Winnemucca. The Silver State says it is the same labor organization that tied up the Northern Pacific so effectually recently. Any railway employe from track walker up is eligible to membership.

The Chronicle says Pine Nut has been yielding some nice chunks of gold lately. Last Sunday a nugget worth \$168 was unearthed in the Raycraft claim, also a smaller chip worth \$50. Joe Raycraft, who was in Virginia to-day, had the gold in his possession, and the yellow chunks were a sight worth seeing these hard times.

WHAT IS EATEN.

Exhibit of Queer Foods Used by Out-of-the-Way People.
(Washington Star.)

At the Department of Agriculture in Washington, hidden away in an obscure corner, is an odd sort of exhibit of queer foods eaten by out-of-the-way people. There is a loaf of bread made from the roasted leaves of a plant allied to the century plant. Another kind of bread is a dough of juniper berries. These are relished by some tribes of Indians, while others manufacture cakes out of different kinds of bulbs. The prairie Indians relish a dish of wild turnips, which civilized people would not be likely to enjoy at all. In the great American desert the "screw beans," which grow on mesquite bushes, are utilized for food. Soap berries furnish an agreeable diet for some savages in this country, while in California the copper-colored aborigines do not disdain the seeds of salt grass. Also in California the Digger Indians collect pinenuts, which are seeds of a certain species of pine (sometimes called "pinons"), by kindling fires against the trees, thus causing the nuts to fall out of the cones. At the same time a sweet gum exudes from the bark, serving the purpose of sugar. The seeds of gourds are consumed in the shape of mush by Indians in Arizona.

In addition to all these things the exhibit referred to includes a jar of pulverized crickets, which are eaten in that form by the Indians of Oregon. They are roasted, as are likewise grasshoppers and slugs. These delicacies are cooked in a pit, being arranged in alternate layers with hot stones. After being thus prepared they are dried and ground to powder. They are mixed with pounded acorns or berries, the flour made in this way being kneaded into cakes and dried in the sun. The Assiniboinese used a kind of seed to stop bleeding at the nose. Among other curious things used for food are acorns, sunflower seeds, grape seeds, flowers of cattails, moss from the spruce fir tree and the blossoms of wild clover. The exhibit embraces a number of models representing grape seeds enormously enlarged. It is actually possible to tell the species of a grape by the shape of the seed. There is a jar of red willow bark, which Indians mix with tobacco for the sake of economy. This, however, is only one of a thousand plants that are utilized in a similar fashion.

AS USUAL.

He had Forgotten all About What his Wife Wanted

A few weeks ago a prominent lawyer left home to go to his office. His wife asked him for the fourth consecutive day to do a certain errand for her at one of the down-town stores. The husband said he would attend to the matter, provided he did not forget all about it before he got two squares from home.

"Let me fix it so you will not forget it, my dear," said his wife, as she resorted to the old scheme of tying a string around his finger.

About 2 o'clock in the afternoon the lawyer met a gentleman friend on the street, and in shaking hands the friend noticed a roll of dirty string on the lawyer's finger.

"What are you wearing that string for?" inquired the friend.

"By George!" exclaimed the lawyer, "that's to remind me to do an errand for my wife. I must go and do it right away, too, and keep peace in the family," and he started off for one of the dry goods stores on Pennsylvania avenue.

All the way to the store door the lawyer tried in vain to think what it was his wife had asked him to buy. He walked four blocks out of his way, thinking of every he had ever known her to use; still he could not think what it was that she wanted on this particular occasion. Finally, thoroughly disgusted with himself, he returned to his office, called a messenger and wrote a note to his wife, asking her what she had put the string on his finger for. He waited nearly an hour for the return of the messenger, paid the boy sixty cents, and then had the extreme pleasure of reading this from his loving little wife:

"Dearest: I did want you to get me some chineal, but I knew you would never think of it, so I sent Mary down this afternoon and she got it for me."—Washington Post.

JUSTICE COURT.

Mrs. Killen Convicted of Assault and Battery on William Morris (Colored).

In the Justice Court yesterday the case of the State vs. Mrs. Killen for assault and battery committed on William Morris (colored) was on trial.

The facts in the case appear to have been about as follows:

On the 4th instant Mrs. Killen had a slight quarrel with Norris, who is an employe in the Clarendon Hotel adjoining the Phoenix Hotel. She also had a large amount of washing out on a line near the dividing fence. Norris in revenge went in and got an old carpet which he threw over the fence near the washing and began beating it, the result being that in a few moments the damp linen looked as though it had gone through a Kansas cyclone. Mrs. Killen came out and pounded Mr. Norris' head with a brick until he resembled in appearance the last rose of summer.

The jury rendered a verdict of guilty and Mrs. Killen will be sentenced this morning.

If you want a good fitting pair of boots or shoes—no seam work from strangers—go to H. F. Pavola, who is reliable and no stranger.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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DON'T WORRY.

Good Advice From the "Silver State."

The contingent of the old goldbug parties are worrying themselves into sleepless nights in their anxiety to know who the Silver party intends to put in the several State offices. Since a nomination will be equivalent to an election they cannot understand why cliques, cancanes and combinations have not announced the names of their favorite candidates and a red-hot scramble for office be inaugurated like unto the days when the grand old party had standing and some respectability. They can't understand why strife and dissensions among the leaders are not making the air sulphurous round about when the emoluments of office are to be had. They have never experienced how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity in a nominating year. They have no knowledge of the fact that when a party organization is based upon principle and not upon spoils and its members are actuated by the highest considerations of patriotism and seek not personal aggrandizement no serious dissensions can arise to mar the deliberations of its chosen representatives in convention.

The Silver party occupies the proudest position that ever fell to the lot of a political organization. It is a party of the people—all are leaders, all are followers and none are bosses. When the proper time arrives it will in its aggregate capacity and combined wisdom, through its duly accredited representatives select the men whom it desires to serve the State in an official capacity. It believes in the Jeffersonian test as the qualification for office, "honesty and capacity." This test it will adopt, and amidst the multitude of the duly qualified the party will select. So the old guards of treason, strategists and spoils need not worry about whom the nominees will be, for no one will know till the party convention shall act. The party considers the officers only as a means to advance cherished principles and not as an end in which to rest, and beyond which nothing further is to be desired.

HUMAN FLEXIBILITY.

One of the Secrets of Symmetry and Youthfulness.
(New York Herald.)

Every woman wishes to retain the flexibility of her body, for flexibility is one of the secrets of symmetry and youthfulness. As people grow old the muscles stiffen and the movements become clumsy, unless certain exercises are followed to preserve flexibility. Here is one of the very best, which should be practiced nightly before retiring. It is also excellent for diminishing a bulky abdomen and a large waist girth. Standing normally, raise the arms straight up from the shoulders, raise on the balls of the feet and energetically stretch upward; come down slowly upon the feet, and, being very careful to keep the knees straight, at the same time bend at the hips and reach forward, as if trying to touch the circumference of a large circle. After reaching downward as far possible, instantaneously relax all of the muscles, save those of the legs, then slowly raise to an upright position. In going through this exercise a strain is brought back of the knee, but no injury will result, as there are no vital organs situated there. There should not be even a suggestion of strain in muscles of the back. When the arms are first relaxed they will oscillate like pendulums. Most women when first attempting this exercise cannot touch the floor with the tips of their fingers within several inches. But with continued practice they become able not only to touch it but often to place the palms of their hands flat down upon the floor. If this practice is followed for years, a woman of seventy may be able to show the flexibility of a woman of thirty.

A GIRL CREATES A COMMOTION.

Four Hundred Men Hunting For Her All Night.

At Pomona, California, Miss Alice White went bicycle riding Tuesday afternoon, and did not return by 9 o'clock at night. An alarm was given and about 400 men spent the night searching for her. Wednesday morning she was found at Glendora, eight miles away. She arrived the evening previous at the house of Mr. Cook and asked to stay all night, saying she was from Pomona. She had been ill for some months and though she had recovered sufficiently to ride out, she became over heated and exhausted and did not realize what she was doing.

A Famous Party.

Mrs. General Grant, Col. Fred Grant and wife, and Percy R. Payne of New York and family, occupied a private car attached to No. 8 yesterday morning. Mrs. Grant has been living for the past year at San Diego and is now on her way to Washington City where she expects to pass the remainder of her days.

Fishing poles, lines, hooks and snell at Lange & Schmidt's.

BREVITIES.

The officers drove a number of hobos out of town last night.

Hon. Lem Allen of Churchill county arrived last night on No. 4.

Eczema, or salt rheum, yields surely to a persevering use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

The devil helps those who help themselves to other men's property.—Jim Townsend.

Call and see the new styles of dress goods and trimming materials that have been received at S. Emrich's.

A big whale, measuring over 100 feet in length, was washed ashore on the north beach at Yaquina Bay last week.

For coughs, colds and croup use Viavi Cerate. Nothing equals it. Make inquiry of Viavi Co. at Mrs. B. E. Hunter's, Fourth street.

A crank residing at Kenyon, Minn., says he has been commanded in a vision to kill Mrs. Mary Lease of Kansas on the 20th of May.

The members of the Prize Winner theatrical troupe came in on the V. & T. local yesterday and departed last night for San Francisco.

All who use Ayer's Hair Vigor pronounce it the best hair-dressing in the market. Certainly, no other is in such constant demand.

The largest assortment of heating stoves, parlor stoves, cook stoves and ranges, crockery and lamps at panic prices at Lange & Schmidt's.

There are 430 seats in the House of Commons and as a consequence 240 of the 670 members are obliged to stand. Campstools are regarded as undignified.

For the first three months of 1894 our exports of corn to Europe amounted to 20,839,000 bushels, against 9,844,433 bushels in the corresponding period of last year.

The butterflies are making butter, the grasshoppers are making grass, the chipmunks are chipping, and the frogs are making a terrible racket. Summer has come.—Jim Townsend.

The best place to buy fishing tackle, gum boots, groceries and all kinds of provisions and canned goods is at R. C. Willis. Call and get prices before purchasing elsewhere.

The New Era says R. Neuschwander expects to have the Bien Works, in Dixie Valley, in operation by the end of the month, when shipping the refined material will commence.

The police of New Britain, Conn., raided a "temperance" saloon a few days ago, and they found the proprietor drawing beer from a combination faucet, which furnished beer, kerosene or water.

It Should be in Every House.

J. B. Wilson, 371 Clay street, Sharpsburg, Pa., says he will not be without Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds; that it cured his wife who was threatened with pneumonia after an attack of la grippe, when various other remedies and several physicians had done her no good. Robert Barber, of Cooksport, Pa., claims Dr. King's New Discovery has done him more good than anything he ever used for lung trouble. Nothing like it. Try it. Free trial bottles at S. J. Hodgkinson's drug store. Large bottles, 50 cents and \$1.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25cts per box. For sale by S. J. Hodgkinson.

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and you will see and hear many things to your advantage. With open eyes you can't fail to see the advertisement of Simmons Liver Regulator, and with ears open you will constantly hear of the relief it gives millions who suffer with Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Constipation or Biliousness. A dose now and then and you'll not know anything about Malaria, that miserable, tired-out feeling.

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Excursion to San Francisco.

The experienced excursion manager, P. H. Mulcahy, is organizing an excursion to San Francisco and return, to leave Reno, Saturday, May 12, 1894. The fare for the round trip will be \$7.50. Excursionists will have an opportunity to visit that marvel of beauty, the Midwinter Fair, during the month of sunshine and flowers, and participate in the festivities of Nevada Day, W. C. T. U. Day, Knights of Pythias Day, Athletic Day, Swedish Day, Miners' Day, etc. Parties desiring to subscribe for tickets, or all information, apply to P. H. Mulcahy, Reno, Nevada. ap 8-t d

Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise. A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the liver and kidneys, will remove pimples, boils, salt rheum and other affections caused by impure blood—will drive malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all malarial fevers. For cure of headache, constipation and indigestion try electric bitters—entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded. Price 50 cts. and \$1.00 per bottle at S. J. Hodgkinson's drug store.

Paper Social and Dance.

The ladies interested will give a social and dance at the pavilion Friday evening, May 25th. Proceeds to be used for furnishing the rooms of the Young Men's Club and free reading room and library. Admission, 25 cents; supper, 25 cents. Music by Fredrick's Orchestra. my10td

Felix Dorah Taken East.

Felix Dorah was brought down from Virginia City last night on the passenger and went east on No. 1 to Freeport, Illinois, where his relatives live.

It will be remembered that about five weeks ago two men sleeping in the same room were both stricken with paralysis the same night and within a few hours of each other. One of these was Felix Dorah. His brother in the East was sent for and arrived in Virginia City a short time ago. Felix, however, has shown little signs of improvement. He lies on a stretcher and one side of him has no life.

When Baby's aches and pains, or when she's ailing, and you're at a loss what to do, try Hood's Sarsaparilla. It's the best remedy for all such cases. It's the best remedy for all such cases. It's the best remedy for all such cases.

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Our Darling Child in the grave. On Aug. 4, 1891, another boy was born to us. At the age of two months he became afflicted with the same disease. I believed the boy's trouble was constitutional, and not common sore mouth. I procured a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla and commenced to give it regularly to both mother and baby, and occasionally washed his mouth with a syrup of buck brush root. Improvement began at once. We have succeeded in eradicating the scrofulous blood from the system and to-day we are blessed with a nice, fat baby boy, eighteen months old. He is the very

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